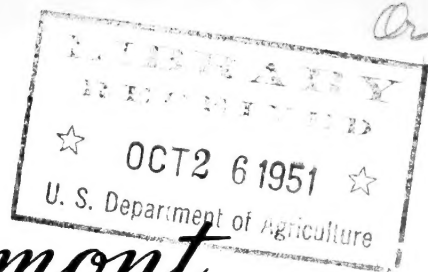


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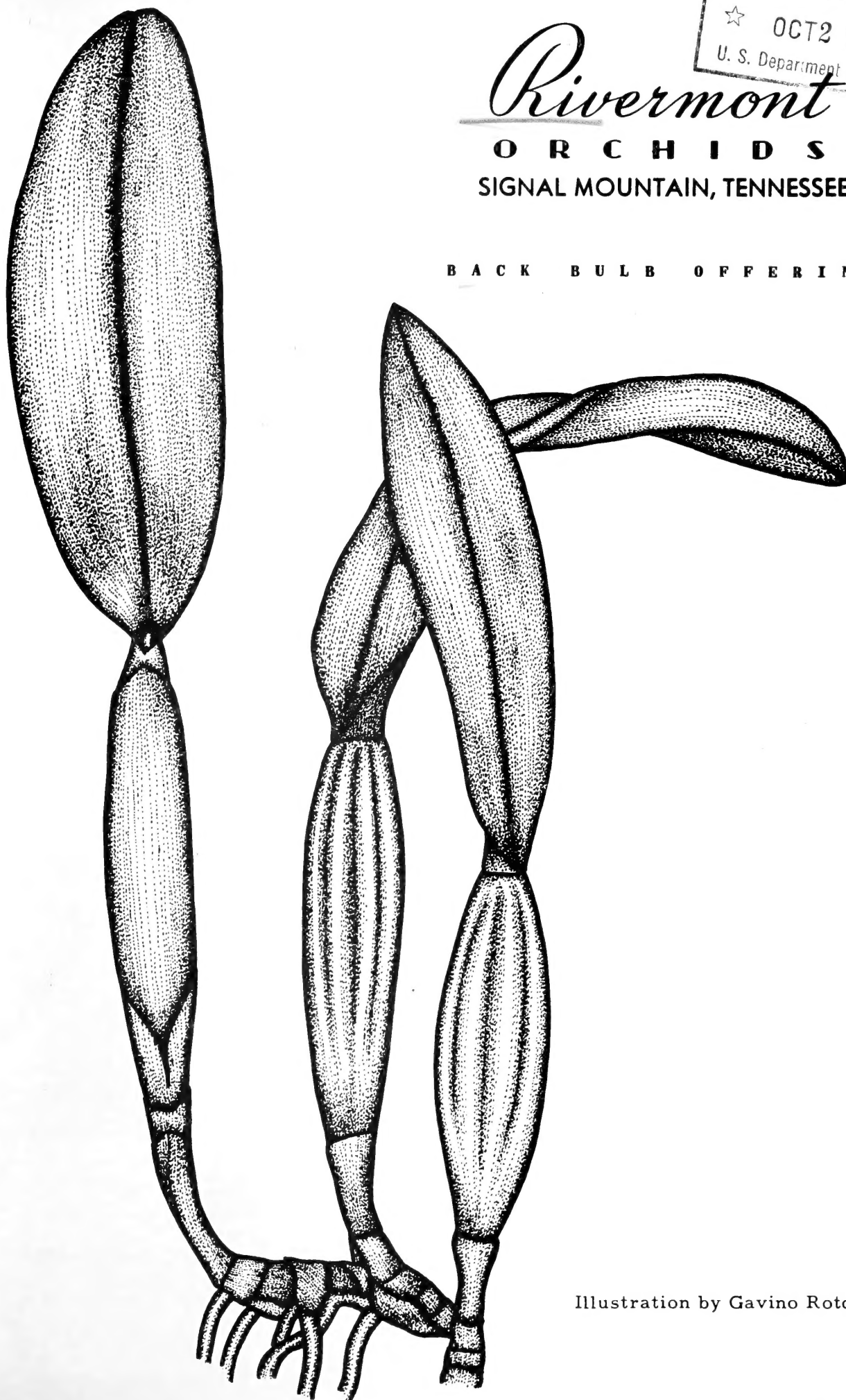


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BACK BULB OFFERING

Back bulb propagations offer the orchid grower, whether beginner or expert, an opportunity to add top quality plants of proven blooming record to his collection at a reasonable price. If there is a particular plant you have had a yen to own, look over this list and perhaps you will be able to purchase a back bulb from that plant. Prices are low, and you are assured of receiving an excellent orchid which has proven itself on our range.

These healthy back bulbs are in 3 1/2" pots. Rivermont guarantees safe delivery for all plants purchased from this offering. All plants are subject to prior sale.

GROUP 1

The back bulbs in Group I are suggested for the beginner in orchid culture. They are inexpensive, yet they provide a worthwhile plant for the beginner to sink his teeth in. We believe that beginners should always work with good plants - and here's your chance to do so without denting your budget. Plants in this group cost \$15.00 and \$20.00 each.

- 52-H949 C. SWAN. Pure white with yellow throat. Blooms March and April. Good peat and roots. 3 b, 1 l, 1 nl * \$15.00
- 3-M5876 C. HAROLD, alba. White with bright rose lip and yellow center. July blooming season. Good roots, new peat. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$15.00
- 16-H4243 C. MENDELII, alba, var. Mrs. F. Sanders. Blush tinted white with purple veined gold throat. June. 4 b, 4 l. \$15.00
- 181-H1870 C. TRIANAE. A winter lavender of fine form and texture. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$15.00
- 134-M5454 C. MOSSIAE. A very large light lavender to bloom in the spring. 5 b, 5 l, 1 nl. \$15.00
- 119-H346 BC. ORATOR. A light lavender with purple fringed lip; blooms in winter. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$15.00
- 8-H2075 C. MENDELII, Bluntii. White petals with pink lip; June. 3 b, 3 l. \$15.00
- 127-H4094 C. TRIANAE. Pinkish lavender with broad rose lip, light border and gold throat. Winter. 2 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$15.00
- 141-H3372 BC. ALBION. Petals white tinged with blush, purple tinged lip, bright gold throat. Spring. 4 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 91-M5220 BC. NESTOR. A cream yellow with fringed lip and lavender veins. Spread blooming season. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 37-H436 BC. ORIENS. A winter white with white fringed lip, greenish yellow center. 3 b, 3 l. \$20.00
- 83-H511 LC. CEYLON TOPAZ. Beautiful form, dark petals, deep rose lip with light center. Blooms in winter. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 61-D1613 C. ENID, fine variety. A white with colored lip which has a spread, winter-summer blooming season. 4 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 48-H6 LC. SARGON. Dark lavender petals with splashed tips; lip large deep purple, ruffled. Blooms chiefly in the fall. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 62-M6052 BLC. RUMANIA x C. MOSSIAE. White with purple splashed lip; gold throat with purple veins. March-April. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 178-H144 C. HERBERT L. DILLON. Very large pure white with yellow throat. August. 5 b, 4 l. \$20.00

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- 175-M6116 LC. MARTINETTE, alba. Cream white with rose lip. May-June. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl, sheath. \$20.00
- 166-H2284 C. CELIA. Late summer and fall. A heavy textured small pure white, floriferous. 5 b, 4 l. \$20.00
- 152-M6281 LC. GOLDEN FLAME. A small reddish bronze with deep rose cut lip and orange throat. Winter. 6 b, 5 l. \$20.00
- 144-M5851 LC. CANHAMIANA, alba. A June white with bright rose lip. 5 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 142-H82 C. CARGILL. Medium lavender with dark purple lip and orange throat. Aug. - Sept. 5 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 135-M5833 C. MOSSIAE. Spring medium lavender with large rose lip, orange throat. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl, sheath. \$20.00
- 24-H550 BLC. BLANDFORD. Spring light lavender. Purple tipped, fringed lip. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 21-H513 LC. GERALDINE S. THOMPSON. A wide, light lavender. The large lip has dark rose tip. Blooms December through February. 4 b, 4 l. \$20.00
- 7-M5168 BC. LEEMANNIAE x C. EDITH ABEEL. A creamy white. The pink lip is fringed and has yellow veins. January. 4 b, 4 l. \$20.00
- 15-H1940 C. ABYSSINIA, Brugeo, x C. AMABILIS, Teecrabbe. Light lavender with rose lip and yellow throat. Winter. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$20.00
- 4-M5493 LC. CANHAMIANA. A well shaped white, whose bright rose lip is outlined by a white edge. May. 5 b, 4 l. \$20.00

GROUP 2

This group of plants is a real find for the amateur who is ready to turn his talents to better hybrids. It should also be noted by the advanced amateur who would like to add to his collection of fine plants. Plants in this group cost from \$25.00 to \$35.00.

- 56-H3450 BC. DIADEM. A spring white with fringed lip and greenish-yellow throat. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 59-H2253 BLC. AUDRENARQUE. Medium rose with splashed tips. Broad, deep rose, ruffled lip; yellow eyes. September. 2 b, 2 l, 2 nl. \$25.00
- 137-H3013 SLC. TORTOLA. Medium size red with crimson lip and gold throat. Winter. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 148-M5125 LC. ANDROMEDA. Bright yellow; burnt orange lip, yellow veins. Winter. 5 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 113-H2595 BLC. FRANK OFF. Cream with yellowish cream lip. Spread blooming season. 2 b, 1 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 95-H1076 C. J. GREGORY CONWAY. Very heavy, dark lavender petals. Wide, deep rose lip, yellow eyes. Fall. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 46-M5005 LC. YASMIN. Reddish bronze with deep purple lip. Spread blooming season. 3 b, 1 l, 1 nl. \$25.00

- 165-H377 C. GENERAL PATTON. Formerly C. Stalin, this beautiful plant has recently been renamed in honor of the American war hero. It is a lavender with rose lip and yellow eyes, and has a fine form. 4 b, 4 l. Fall. \$25.00
- 151-H586 BLC. EMPIRE. Blush with dark rose fringed lip, greenish-yellow eyes. Spring. 4 b, 4 l. \$25.00
- 140-H2158 LC. YASMIN. Reddish bronze with deep purple lip. Spring-summer. 6 b, 6 l. \$25.00
- 106-H718 LC. PROFUSION. Medium lavender, fine form. Very large rose lip; lavender throat, yellow eyes. September. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 101-M6020 BLC. MORNING SUN. Light yellow, fringed lip, bright yellow throat. Winter. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 96-H2890 C. BELGICA. Medium lavender. Dark rose ruffled lip, gold eyes and veins. Winter. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 78-H219 BLC. GOWAN. Dark yellow with light yellow lip. Fall. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 68-M5344 C. TRIANAE, var. Mrs. Clement Moore. Wide lavender petals splashed with purple. Dark purple lip. Fine form. Winter. 3 b, 1 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 66-H1876 C. TRIANAE, var. The Baron. White with lavender tinge. February. 4 b, 4 l. \$25.00
- 49-M5160 LC. JACOBUS. Blush white, lavender lip, yellow veined center. Winter-spring. 2 b, 2 l. \$25.00
- 25-H2170 LC. LORANORE. White petals; rose spotted lip; yellow throat. June-July. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 20-H659 BLC. GOLDEN GUINEA. Bright yellow with rose lip. Choice variety. Fall. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 19-M5802 BLC. CLIFTADA. Medium purple with bright purple lip, yellow eyes. Late winter - spring. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$25.00
- 5-H801 LC. HARRIET. Light rose. Summer. 3 b, 3 l. \$25.00
- 18-H3706 BLC. STONEY WARE. Medium lavender; deep rose, fringed lip; yellow throat. May. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 51-M5737 BC. WENDOVER. Fine, round lavender; deep rose lip; yellow center. Winter. A parent plant. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 93-H4230 C. VANIR. Heavy textured white. Gold veined throat. Spring. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 122-M5340 LC. NUGGET. Heavy textured reddish bronze. Rose lip, yellow veins. Fall. 4 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 143-H259 LC. GORSE x LC. MRS MEDO. Yellow bronze. Reddish purple cut lip. Heavy texture. 4 b, 4 l. \$30.00
- 130-H1580 BLC. NANETTE, alba. White with fringed white lip, green throat. Fall. Has good growth. 5 b, 5 l. \$30.00
- 32-H1982 BC. ALBION. White petals. Fringed lip with tiny purple splash. Green throat. Blooms in early spring. Has good peat and roots and is growing well. 3 b, 3 l. \$30.00

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- 183-M6026 BC. TRIMABILIS, var. John Lines. Heavy textured rose; greenish yellow throat. Fine form. Winter - Spring blooming season. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 156-H1940 C. ABYSSINIA, alba, x C. AMABILIS. Wide, light lavender, broad rose lip; yellow throat. Winter. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 147-H2774 C. ETHEL BISHOP. Pure white with ruffled lip and yellow throat. Fall-winter. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 120-H3692 LC. BRITANNIA, alba. Pure white with rose tipped lip and yellow throat. Spring. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 108-M5217 BC. DIETRICHIANA, Lambeau. Dark lavender with very large lip and orange veins. Spring. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 105-M5426 BC. BRAMBY. Spring lavender. Ruffled petals and lip with dark veined tip, yellow center. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 94-H4196 LC. BOU PHILIPPO. Light lavender, fine form. Broad, medium lavender lip; throat has light yellow veins. Spring. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 80-H1156 BLC. ROSALIE. Spring medium lavender with dark rose lip and yellow eyes. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 79-M5569 BC. SPECIOSSA. Very heavy textured spring white. The wide white lip has purple veins and a large yellow throat. 5 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 77-H1945 C. TRIANAE, var. The Premier. One of the outstanding named varieties of Trianae. A winter blooming medium lavender of fine form. Has rose tipped lip and yellow throat. 4 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 75-M5850 C. HENTSCHELLII. June medium lavender with bright rose lip and yellow eyes. 5 b, 5 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 54-H547 C. BOBBIE JEWELL. Pure white with yellow lip. February. This outstanding plant has 5 b, 4 l, and 2 nl. \$30.00
- 50-H1119 C. GENERAL PATTON (formerly C. Stalin). This fine lavender, recently renamed, has a dark rose lip, ruffled, and should bloom in July. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 45-M5745 C. HORATIUS. Medium lavender with purple splashed tips. Deep rose lip, light veined center. Winter. A choice variety. 2 b, 2 l. \$30.00
- 31-H81 BC. CORRIENTES, var. Gracita. Rose-lavender, gold veined lip. Very good texture. July-August. An unusually healthy plant. 3 b, 3 l. \$30.00
- 30-H4179 SLC. TRIZAC. Reddish petals, vivid red lip, gold throat. Fine form. Spring. 3 b, 2 l. \$30.00
- 23-H2535 BLC. PILOT. Bright rose; ruffled crimson lip; large gold eyes. October. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$30.00
- 22-H1882 C. SWAN. A fine winter white with yellow throat. 5 b, 5 l, 2 nl. \$30.00
- 6-H527 C. SOUVENIR de LOUIS SANDER. Pure white. Fine Form. Ruffled lip --- yellow throat. February. 6 b, 6 l. \$30.00

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September 17, 1951

WELCOME!

As a member of the American Orchid Society, your name has been added to our mailing list.

During the ensuing year you will receive our catalog, a beautiful color Christmas card, and special orchid offerings. If you are an old acquaintance of Rivermont's, we are happy to renew our association. If we are strangers, let us introduce ourselves with this letter.

We have over two acres of orchids under glass, and we grow nothing else. We specialize in fine Cattleyas and allied genera, and also grow some carefully selected Cymbidiums, Cypripediums and other genera.

We are large enough to supply your orchid needs, whether you are an amateur or an advanced grower. We are small enough to give individual attention to your desires.

Please write if we can help with any of your orchid requirements from cultural advice to fine exhibition plants.

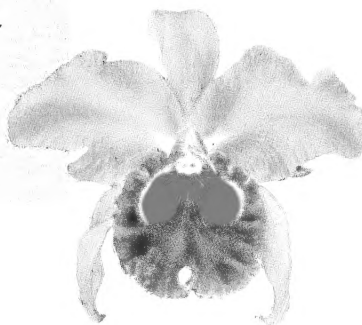
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THE YOUNG LADY
IS PUZZLED ABOUT
YOU!

Your name has been on our mailing list for quite some time without our having had any response.

This young lady is puzzling whether to place your Addressograph plate in the active or inactive file.

Lots of folks just don't like to write letters or fill out forms but still want to receive catalogs and offerings; they would be very unhappy to be dropped.

If you're in this group please make an exception and write us so she can place your plate in the active file. If you are no longer interested in orchids your name will go into the inactive file and you will be dropped from the mailing list.

You can easily solve the lady's puzzle. We hope you will solve it by remaining on our prospect list if you are still interested in orchids.



Active or Inactive File?

Sincerely,

Neil McDade

Neil McDade
President

- 104-H2788 BLC. DAWN ANGELA. Medium rose. Very large, rich rose lip and gold veined throat. Fall. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 146-H1462 LC. PRINCESS ISHTAR. Dark lavender; large deep rose lip. Fall. 5 b, 3 l. \$35.00
- 74-H891 C. PRINCE SHIMADZU x C. DR. M. LACROZE. Medium lavender of fine shape. Large rose lip and yellow eyes. Winter. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 87-H615 LC. MRS. MEDO. Broad cream petals; bright rose, yellow veined lip. Summer. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 185-M6059 C. TRIANAE, alba. Winter white. Pink on tip of lip. Has been used as parent plant. 6 b, 5 l. \$35.00
- 35-H3554 BLC. JANE. Bright rose with dark rose ruffled lip and greenish-yellow throat. April. 2 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 196-H3592 LC. BOU PHILIPPO. White petals with rose tips. Large, ruffled crimson lip. Deep gold eyes and veins. Spring. 5 b, 4 l. An excellent plant. \$35.00
- 171-H1258 LC. MORVYTH, var. Magnifica. Very large purple; mauve lip and eyes of yellow. Fall. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 124-M5813 BLC. HEBE, var. Thelma Altman. Very wide lavender petals. Rose tipped fringed lip. Yellow throat. Spring. 4 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 111-H899 BC. RUBY. Dark rose with large dark lip and green throat. Winter. 4 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 86-H1595 LC. ELISSA. Dark rose petals and lip; yellow eyes. Fall. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 71-H677 BLC. WREN. A lovely fall yellow unusual, which sometimes produces shades of orange and apricot. Wine-colored lip. Fall. 4 b, 4 l. \$35.00
- 70-H1721 LC. PRINCESS JULIANA. Heavy textured medium lavender with large, deep rose lip. Winter. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 44-H4009 C. ETHEL BISHOP. A white with fine form. Ruffled lip and yellow throat. October-November. 2 b, 1 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 38-H848 LC. WHITEWINGS. Wide white petals, bright rose lip, yellow throat. Winter. 4 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 36-H3522 LC. ABYDOS. Medium lavender; deep lip; prominent yellow veining. Spring. 3 b, 3 l. \$35.00
- 34-H1286 LC. DERRYANE. Dark lavender; large, deep rose lip. August-September. 2 b, 1 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 33-M5554 C. HARDYANA, alba. White. Has rose lip outlined in white; yellow eyes. Late summer. 3 b, 1 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 27-M5371 C. EVEREST, Superbissima. Pure white of fine form. Ruffled lip with yellow center. Late winter. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 26-H4160 LC. BOU PHILIPPO. Bright rose with deep rose ruffled lip; gold throat. Late winter - spring. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$35.00
- 17-H1559 BLC. GOWAN. A fall bright yellow with large rose lip which has yellow markings. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$35.00

- 12-H1273 LC. SOUTH ESK. Heavy, dark lavender petals. Broad dark lip and light eyes. August-September. 4 b, 4 l. \$35.00
- 41-H2055 LC. BOU PHILIPPO, alba. White petals; broad rose lip; yellow throat. Spring. 3 b, 1 l, 1 nl. \$35.00

GROUP 3

The connoisseur's choices will be found in this group of superior backbulbs, which range from \$40.00 to \$60.00 in price.

- 131-H3379 LC. BANNER. Dark rose with crimson lip and gold veined throat. To bloom in April. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$40.00
- 60-H4095 C. SOUVENIR de LOUIS SANDER x C. WHITE EMPRESS. An excellent quality white with ruffled lip and greenish-yellow throat. Winter. 5 b, 5 l, 1 nl. \$40.00
- 150-H1981 LC. BOU PHILIPPO. A white with rose lip and yellow veined throat. Beautiful form. Late winter. 6 b, 6 l. \$40.00
- 129-H3241 LC. EDITH DORP. A winter-blooming pure white with deep rose ruffled lip and bright yellow throat. 5 b, 5 l. \$40.00
- 102-M6182 LC. DERNIA. Heavy textured orange-yellow petals and rose cut lip with yellow eyes. This fine yellow blooms in the fall. 5 b, 5 l. \$40.00
- 98-H1791 BLC. THE BARONESS. Bright yellow with ruffled yellow lip. To bloom in the winter. 5 b, 5 l, 1 nl. \$40.00
- 85-H3308 BLC. DAWN ANGELA. Dark rose with large crimson ruffled lip; small yellow eyes and veins. Fall. 3 b, 1 l. \$40.00
- 63-H3932 LC. DERRYNANE. This lovely rose has a fine form. Deep rose lip and light throat. Fall. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$40.00
- 58-H2547 C. ETHEL BISHOP. White with ruffled lip and yellow throat. Fine form. Fall. 4 b, 4 l, 1 nl. \$40.00
- 53-H1130 C. GENERAL PATTON (formerly C. Stalin). Rosy lavender with bright rose lip and yellow eyes. July-August. 4 b, 4 l. \$40.00
- 42-H1848 BLC. DAWN ANGELA. Medium lavender petals. Huge, deep rose lip and large yellow eyes. Winter. 1 b, 1 l, 2 nl. \$40.00
- 9-H1358 LC. PRINCESS ISHTAR, var. Elissa. A winter lavender; has very broad dark petals and huge rose lip. 3 b, 3 l. \$40.00
- 40-H3467 C. MOSSIAE, Wagneri, La Belle, x C. WHITE EMPRESS. This is a very fine variety of Mossiae. Spring white with large lip and gold throat. 3 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$50.00
- 170-H581 LC. DERRYNANE, var. Henrietta Patterson. Very large, heavy dark lavender petals. Broad crimson lip and light eyes. Fall. 5 b, 4 l, sheath. \$50.00
- 84-H193 LC. COSTA RICA, var. Frances Anne, AM, AOS. A fall blooming, floriferous yellow. Purple cut lip with gold eyes and veins. 2 b, 2 l, 1 nl. \$50.00
- 57-H287 LC. DERRYNANE. Wide, dark rose petals. Huge deep rose lip. September. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$50.00
- 10-M5056 LC. CYNTHIA, var. Rivermont. White petals; yellow lip with purple tip; yellow throat. October. A proven parent. 3 b, 3 l, 1 nl. \$50.00
- 39-H358 LC. DERRYNANE. Wide, medium lavender petals. Dark rose lip with light fringe. Fall. A parent plant. 3 b, 3 l, 2 nl. \$60.00

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